

**Table 7. Land Use: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

All farms	1997	Percent of total in 1997	1992	1987
Farms .....	5 828	100.0	5 436	5 877
Land in farms .....	1 262 155	100.0	1 278 525	1 407 868
Total cropland .....	farms..	5 065	86.9	5 081
	acres..	617 263	48.9	658 765
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	4 609	79.1	4 741
	acres..	465 489	36.9	477 020
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 49 acres .....		2 293	39.3	2 117
1 to 9 acres .....		790	13.6	622
10 to 19 acres .....		473	8.1	441
20 to 29 acres .....		436	7.5	425
30 to 49 acres .....		594	10.2	629
50 to 99 acres .....		785	13.5	936
100 to 199 acres .....		829	14.2	987
200 to 499 acres .....		580	10.0	626
500 to 999 acres .....		98	1.7	62
1,000 acres or more .....		24	.4	13
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		23	.4	12
2,000 acres or more .....		1	(Z)	5
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing .....	farms..	2 849	48.9	3 207
	acres..	131 686	10.4	157 950
Other cropland .....	farms..	824	14.1	896
	acres..	20 088	1.6	23 795
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	238	4.1	273
	acres..	4 380	.3	5 496
Cropland on which all crops failed .....	farms..	95	1.6	95
	acres..	1 636	.1	2 395
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	68	1.2	74
	acres..	1 273	.1	1 952
Cropland idle .....	farms..	537	9.2	580
	acres..	12 799	1.0	13 952
Total woodland .....	farms..	4 374	75.1	4 059
	acres..	487 346	38.6	479 377
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	1 273	21.8	1 536
	acres..	66 088	5.2	92 216
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	4 002	68.7	3 489
	acres..	421 258	33.4	387 161
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured .....	farms..	1 482	25.4	1 432
	acres..	83 780	6.6	85 642
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .....	farms..	3 679	63.1	3 179
	acres..	73 766	5.8	54 741
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	116	(X)	57
	acres..	8 289	(X)	2 254

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1987 are for Conservation Reserve Program only.